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In re application of: Stephan P. Najda

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For: A SEMICONDUCTOR LASER DEVICE

Examiner: Delma R. Flores Ruiz

Art Unit: 2828

FORMAL REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGES

**Official Draftsperson
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**

Dear Sir:

Attached to this formal request for approval are proposed drawing corrections shown in red ink which are being submitted in connection with Applicants' Reply to an Office Action dated.

Applicants respectfully request that the drawings be amended as follows:

In Figs. 1-3, please insert the label "Related Art".

Respectfully Submitted,
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Dated: October 31, 2002

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